

Life's Darkest Moment



Teachers 1957-58

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E. Meyers, X-XI.  
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Jarrow  
Mrs. D. Likness.  
Holt Colony  
Mrs. Orill Darling.  
School opens Tuesday, Sept. 3.

Card of Thanks

My many thanks to all my friends, neighbors and family who sent cards, letters, gifts and visited me while I was in the hospital. It all helped to hasten my recovery.—Gladys Holt.

CHURCH SERVICES

ALLIANCE CHURCH  
Sunday  
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School.  
11:30 a.m.—Missionary Lillian Mikkelsen.  
Tuesday  
8 p.m.—Cottage Prayer meeting.

SHARON LUTHERAN  
Sunday, September 1  
Sunday School and Bible class 11 a.m.  
Divine Worship 8 p.m.  
C. Magee, pastor.

UNITED CHURCH  
Sunday, September 1  
Albert Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Faschendale Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Irma Sunday School 10:30 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:30 a.m.  
Labor Day service.  
Everybody welcome.  
H. W. Inglis, Minister.

Weekly  
Inspirational  
Corner

(Sponsored by an Irma Times reader)

And to you who are troubled rest with us, when the Lord Jesus shall be revealed from heaven with His mighty angels. In flaming fire taking vengeance on them that know not God and that obey not the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ. Who shall be punished with everlasting destruction from the presence of the Lord, and from the glory of His power; When He shall come to be glorified in His saints, and to be admired in all them that believe (because our testimony among you was believed) in that day. Thess. 1:7-10.

HIGHWAY REPORT

13—Metiskow-Provost, grading, graveling. Killam-Loughede, asphalt surfacing.  
North of Heath-Chauvin Corner, grading on new highway. Traffic using old highway.  
36—Taber-Vauxhall, grading and graveling on new highway. Traffic using district road.

WITH THE  
District Agriculturist

By J. S. Duncan

Seed Cleaning Plant  
Plans are going ahead for construction of a seed cleaning plant in the M.D. of Wainwright. This plant will be located at Wainwright. There is no question of the value of such a plant to the farmers of the municipality. This is shown by the fact that there are already nineteen of these plants operating in Alberta, and ten other plants are in various stages of organization and construction.

The provisional board of directors of the Wainwright Seed Cleaning Plant are now selling shares to farmers in the district so all farmers can expect to be contacted soon. It might be pointed out that construction cannot start until shares to the value of fifteen thousand dollars have been sold, so the quicker this money is raised the sooner there will be a cleaning plant in operation here.

Schools of Agriculture And Home Economics  
There are three of these schools in Alberta, located at Vermilion, Olds and Fairview. For girls these schools provide courses in home making, sewing, typing, etc., which prepare them for either home making or office work. For boys there are courses in engineering, woodwork, motors, farm management, livestock, etc., which are good practical courses designed to prepare them for farming. Both girls and boys also get courses in mathematics, science, English, etc. The costs of such a course are small, room and board are supplied at the school for approximately \$40 per month and the school terms are arranged to fit in with farm work.

For full information write to The Principal, School of Agriculture, Vermilion, Olds or Fairview.

Control of Perennial Weeds  
Don't forget that last cut at Canada and Sow Thistle, Toad Flax, Quack Grass, etc., in the fall is the most effective one for control. One trip over land infested with these weeds with a cultivator is very effective in the fall. This is one time and place where deep cultivation is really justified.

Labor Day Holiday  
September 2

Monday, September 2, is Labor Day and is an official holiday throughout Canada. All stores and business places will be closed all day.

September Weather  
For Alberta

The month of September in Alberta will be characterized by brief sporadic showers occurring on several occasions. The total amount of precipitation will fall somewhat short of the normal, however, because none of the shower periods appear to be important enough to produce very significant rainfall. Temperatures will be generally warmer than usual. The beginning of fall will show a definite trend toward an Indian Summer type interval, as temperature averages over most of the province prove to be between two and four degrees warmer than normal. Even though the month is expected to turn out warmer than normal, you will have to watch for cooler temperatures during the latter part of September. The first near, or slightly below, freezing temperatures will occur during the coolest period. Brisk mornings will be followed however with beautiful days typical of the month.  
—Country Guide

Southern Sayings

The sympathy of the district goes to Mrs. J. J. Burrell on the passing of her brother Mr. Walter Corner of Cascade, Man.  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Power of Hermiston, Ore., are visiting at the home of their niece Mrs. Ted Hill.  
Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Jackson and family spent last week-end at Sedgewick at the home of Mr. Geo. Jackson and with other relatives.

Mr. John Hill left on Wednesday for Edmonton where he will be employed in the office of Swifts packing plant.  
Next W.L. meeting will be held on Saturday night, Sept. 21, at the home of Mrs. E. Tomlinson. Hostesses, Mrs. E. Tomlinson and Mrs. J. Jackson. Refreshments will be served. This branch will hold a Handicraft Sale and Tea in the Legion Hall. Hope to see you all there.

Business and Financial Review by B of M

MONTREAL, Aug. 22—There are indications that the amount of debt owed by consumers to finance companies, retail dealers and other lending institutions is growing much more slowly than it has in recent years, says the Bank of Montreal's Business Review for August, just issued.

This "Slower Climb in Consumer Debt", as the review is entitled, "is a development of some significance," says the B of M.

The factors bringing it about are discussed under three main headings of charge accounts, installment paper and personal cash loans.  
Pointing out that these kinds of debt differ in the needs they are designed to meet and in their rates of growth, the review adds: "Charge accounts, for example, are usually regarded as a convenience rather than a credit medium. They seldom bear interest and are usually repaid within 30 days. Moreover, their rate of growth has been relatively modest during the past few years."

"At the end of March," the review observes, "charge accounts outstanding were only \$9 million more than a year earlier and only about twice as large as the level outstanding at March 31, 1948, the first year for which figures are available."

Fund Established  
To Aid Students

A fund has been established in Irma which is to be known as the Irma and District Students Assistance Fund.

This fund will be handled by a committee composed of the school principal and two members from the HSA and two members of the W.L.

The purpose of the fund is to give interest free loans to students of grade 9 or over who wish to take advanced training beyond their school education, and are in need of financial assistance. Loans will be repaid when the student begins to work. For further information contact Mr. D. H. Gunn chairman, or Mrs. R. O. Larson, Sec.-Treas.

Lillian Mikkelsen  
Guest Speaker  
At Alliance Church

Miss Lillian Mikkelsen, daughter of Mrs. M. Mikkelsen of Irma will be guest speaker at the Alliance church this Sunday at 11:30 a.m. Miss Mikkelsen is a missionary to the Netherlands West Indies and has served in that field for the past four years. At present she is on furlough, but as she will be leaving shortly for itinerant work, and returning to the field this winter, Miss Mikkelsen will be one of the few times the people of this area will be privileged to hear her. The public is therefore urged to enjoy the ministry of this consecrated local young woman while she is with us. She will also be ministering in the Viking Anglican Hall this Sunday at 3 p.m.

Northern Nuggets

The Buffalo Coulee W.L. will hold their September meeting on Thursday the 19th at the home of Mrs. H. B. Hostess. Mrs. Bars and Mrs. Archibald, Plans are being made to hold a Tea and Apron Sale in Irma on Saturday, September 22.  
On Tuesday last, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Fleming received a long distance telephone call from their daughter, Jean who is now stationed at Trenton, Ont. We are glad to say Jean is well and enjoying her work.

Another well record has been established. Mr. G. G. of Viking commenced drilling operations at 10 a.m. on Friday on the farm of Mr. D. W. Ramsay and by 7 p.m. had brought in a fine flow of water at 260 ft.  
Mr. Harley Bars and Mr. A. Fleming purchased a large quantity of wheat which had been salvaged from the fire which destroyed the elevator at Greenfield.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Currie are enjoying the company of her sister, Mrs. W. J. Brickman.

Funeral Service For  
Olav Halvorsen

OLAV HALVORSEN

It was with deep regret that friends and neighbors of Irma and district learned of the sudden passing of Mr. Olav (Ole) Halvorsen at his home in Irma. The cause of death was carbon monoxide poisoning.

Mr. Halvorsen, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. Goora of Bo, Telemark, Norway, was born March 13, 1891 and came to Irma from Norway in 1926. He worked for several farmers in this district, then went to Strome where he farmed for a couple of years before returning to Irma district when he began farming for himself. During the past few years he made his home in Irma and went to his farm north of town when work had to be done.

Funeral services were conducted at the Irma United church by the Rev. H. W. Inglis on Aug. 23 and interment was in the Irma cemetery. Pall bearers were Cliff Smallwood, Keith Soffin, Don McKay, Jack McKay, James Craig Jr., and Gunnar Larson.

He leaves to mourn his untimely loss, his mother, three brothers and two sisters, all in Norway, also a host of friends in Irma and district.

The heartfelt sympathy of his many friends goes to his relatives in Norway.

Beautiful floral tributes were received from Alf and Murle; Rick and Bessie; Louise and Maxine; Heakon and Vera; Erling and Goldie and families; Glen Adeline and family; Mrs. Mary Dorand and family; Ann and Stan Coulthart; Mr. and Mrs. James Pond and family; and Mrs. E. Haun and family; Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Pendleton; Mr. and Mrs. W. Kuwica; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kuwica and Dan.

Memorial gifts to the Irma Cemetery Fund from Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hostess and family; Mr. and Mrs. Knut Overbo and family; Mr. and Mrs. Clair Lukens and family; Mr. and Mrs. Les Brady and family; Mr. and Mrs. James Craig and James Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Archibald and family; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anquist and family; Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Nicol.

To the Protestant Home for Children from Mr. and Mrs. B. Dempsey; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Guy and family; Mrs. V. Herbert and Lloyd; Mr. and Mrs. C. Pyke; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ramsay; Mr. and Mrs. J. Marshall; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Marshall; Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Smallwood; Mr. and Mrs. Alex Smallwood; Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Jackson; Mr. and Mrs. J. Jackson and Arthur; Mr. J. A. Hedley; Mrs. I. C. Knudsen.

To the Irma United church from Mr. and Mrs. Aian Larson; Mr. and Mrs. H. Barber; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. B. and Mrs. Earl Burr; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Knudsen; Mr. and Mrs. J. Burton; Mr. and Mrs. Art Gwin and Wayne; Mr. and Mrs. W. Parson; Mr. Roy Burton; Mrs. Knowles; Mr. and Mrs. Steve Pasztor and family; Mrs. McKay, Don and Jack; Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Barber; Mr. Harry Meskins; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Knudsen; Mr. and Mrs. H. Riley; Mr. Henning Johnson.

To the Cripped Children's Fund from Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Savard; Mr. and Mrs. P. Kellar; P. E. and C. P. Jones and families; Mr. and Mrs. L. White and boys; Mr. and Mrs. Ron Currie.

To the Cancer Fund from Mr. and Mrs. F. Drewick; Mr. and Mrs. Gar Coulthart.

To Bethany Homes for Children, Wetaskiwin from Mr. and Mrs. Harry Halvorsen; Mr. and Mrs. W. Masson and family; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Matthews and family; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Orzechski; Mr. and Mrs. Jos. H. Gulbrae.

Glen-Coa Cleanings

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Likness on August 7 at Saskatoon, a son, Glen Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Erickson of the city of Edmonton visited at the R. Erickson home last week-end.

Mrs. James came home from Hardisty hospital last Sunday after quite a lengthy stay. The abundance of wet weather we are having of late would have been the most welcome last June. Just now it impedes harvesting operations with everyone prepared to get busy in full swing.

NOTICE

There will be a sale of Home Baking sponsored by the Evening Group of the W.A. in Earley's Food Market on Saturday, September 14 at 3 p.m.

WANT ADS  
BRING RESULTS

KIEFER'S  
SHOWS  
at IRMA

Friday, August 30 8:40 p.m.  
"FUNNY FACE"  
Fred Astaire, Kathryn Hepburn  
Technicolor

Friday, September 6 8:40 p.m.  
"LONELY MAN"  
Jack Palance, Anthony Perkins  
Technicolor - Action Picture

BROCK  
THEATRE

VIKING -- ALBERTA  
SHOWS AT 7:00 and 9:00 p.m.

Saturday - Monday  
AUG. 31st and SEPT. 2nd

David Niven, Barry Fitzgerald,  
Yvonne De Carlo in  
"TODAY'S THE NIGHT"

There isn't a ghost of a chance that you won't split your sides laughing... hilarious happenings in a haunted household... as in such as Daddy's Day.  
(Family Comedy in Color)

Tuesday - Wednesday  
SEPTEMBER 3rd and 4th

Movie-of-the-Month  
1 SHOW EACH NIGHT 8 p.m.  
ADULT TICKETS ONLY SOLD  
— No Popcorn Sales —

James Darren, Laurie Carroll in  
"DRUMBO ON THE ROCKS"

Authentic story of juvenile delinquency in the roughest part of the city.

Thursday - Friday  
SEPTEMBER 5th and 6th

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## Jarrow News

The Jarrow W.A. will meet at the manse on Monday, September 2 at 2:30 p.m. Hostesses, Mrs. H. Whidden and Mrs. M. Orzechski.

To the M. and M. fund in memory of Allan Wyand from Mr. and Mrs. G. Matthews.

The Jarrow and Melbrae church boards met at the manse last Thursday evening, Aug. 22. Little Bonny Meekins is staying with Mr. and Mrs. A. Overby for a few days.

Rev. H. W. Ingles will conduct Communion and Baptismal Service at the church on Sunday, September 1 at 3 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wright and Clifford and Mrs. Geo. Bridgeman and family joined a family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Handy at Bruce last Sunday, August 18. Mrs. Harvey of Jarvie, Alta., was there for the occasion. The three sisters, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Handy and Mrs. Harwood, had all been married in 1932. Rev. Morse Johnson was the master of ceremonies. Mrs. Mary Lind is here from the city to be at the bedside of her father, Mr. S. Jamieson who is very ill at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Holt were recent visitors to the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Pirkus have returned home after spending the summer visiting with his mother and relatives in Wisconsin.

The sympathy of the district is extended to Mrs. Harry Meakins and family on the death of her mother in Spokane, Wash.

Mrs. Harry Meakins left on Wednesday to attend her mother's funeral.

## ONE MORE ACHIEVEMENT

Another achievement by farm organizations was brought about by the combined efforts of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture, the Interprovincial Farm Union Council, and the Farmers' Union of Alberta.

On July 17 the government decided to place price supports and import controls on turkey and fowl, effective immediately. This will be welcomed by poultry producers, who have been faced with a very critical situation that the present action will go far to correct.

The text of announcement by the government is as follows: "Price support and import control on turkeys and fowl go into effect today. Acting Minister of Agriculture Hon. D. S. Harkness announced that the government had acted to protect the poultry industry against falling prices in the face of abundant local supplies and heavy imports.

Turkey prices will be supported at 25c per pound live weight delivered Toronto and Montreal for birds of 20 pounds and under with appropriate differentials where necessary for other market centres and other weights.

The support price on fowl is 23c per pound live weight for birds of five pounds and over delivered Toronto with appropriate differentials for other weights and markets. This is in line with the price previously announced to be effective August by Order in Council of April 15, 1957.



W. G. MALAHIER,  
Director,  
Research Department,  
SEARLE GRAIN COMPANY, LIMITED

## Precautions Against Insects In Newly Stored Grain

Because stored grain insects have become quite a problem in Western Canada in recent years, as a result of farmers having to store quantities of grain for a fairly long period of time, officials concerned with controlling these insects, strongly recommend the careful cleaning out, spraying and weather-proofing of all bins before they are filled with 1957 grain.

Caked grain remaining in empty bins is very likely to contain insect pests and should be burned during the cleaning out process. At the same time, grain spilled on the ground around granary doors should be destroyed or fed. When it has been thoroughly cleaned out, the inside of the bin may be sprayed with some suitable insecticide, usually applied at the rate of about 1 gallon per 1,000 ft. of surface and left for about 10 days so that the insecticide will take full effect. A final check to make sure that the bin is absolutely weather-proof will mean that all the necessary precautions have been taken to reduce possible insect damage to an absolute minimum.

## Kinsella News

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Brown, Mr. and Mrs. C. Overby, Mr. and Mrs. F. Mollier and Mr. and Mrs. Tye Hopfe went on a fishing trip to Boyne Lake. They report returning home with a good catch of fish.

Miss B. Armitage who is at present taking a business course at McTavish business college was home for the week-end.

Miss Darlene Overby spent 8 days at a summer camp at Hardisty.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Overby and family of Edmonton were visiting at the home of Mr. Overby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Overby last week. David Overby is spending the rest of his school holiday with his grandparents.

Mrs. Lone Ambler and sons of Dawson Creek are spending a holiday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Loader.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Barker and family are holidaying at Sylvan Lake and Ponoka. Mr. S. Blaine Greenwood entertained a number of friends at a "hobo party" on Friday, August 23, the occasion being his sixth birthday anniversary.

Congratulations to Cpl. Murray Davis and Mrs. Davis (nee Maureen Deans) whose wedding took place on August 24 at St. Cuthbert's church, South Shore Blackpool, England.

Lone Merta of Viking visited with her friend Alice Carpenter last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Smoagard of Edmonton are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McKie and family visited Mr. and Mrs. D. Morrison of Edmonton on Sunday.

## EDMONTON GRAIN MANAGER RETIRES

(Edmonton Journal)

Forty-two years in the grain trade, 37 years of that time in Alberta with the Searle Grain Company, will end with retirement July 31 for J. R. MacRae, Alberta manager, with offices in Edmonton.

At a luncheon attended by representatives of the trade in the Macdonald, Mr. MacRae was a special guest. Chairman for the occasion was Clarence E. Sage, manager of National Grain Company. On behalf of the grain trade here, a travelling case was presented by William Duncan, representative of Canada Malting Co.

Mr. MacRae began as a grain buyer in Saskatchewan in 1915 with the Saskatchewan Co-op, and then spent five years with the now-defunct Central Grain Co. He joined Searle in 1921 at Viking, and in 1924 came to Edmonton as travelling superintendent, a post he held for 8 years, followed by another eight as divisional supt. In 1940 he was promoted to district manager and in 1951 to his present position.

He will be succeeded here by J. F. Schofield, Winnipeg, for the past four years in charge of elevator construction and repairs. Previously Mr. Schofield spent several years in Edmonton as assistant to Mr. MacRae.

Mr. and Mrs. MacRae will continue to live in Edmonton.

Wynne Johnston is holidaying with her friend Carole Anderson in Edmonton.

The W.I. will meet on Saturday, August 31.

## Viking Curling Club And Viking Legion Newspaper Car Bingo

B — 2 3 4 5 6 9 10 11 13 14  
15  
1 — 16 18 19 21 22 23 26 28  
30 24  
N — 31 32 33 35 37 38 39 40  
42 43 44 45  
G — 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 54  
55 57 58 59 60 53  
O — 61 62 63 64 68 69 72 73

Most business men in Viking have cards to sell.

In Kinsella see Barker and Brown, George Patterson or Curly Loades.

In Jarro see Carl Soneff.

In Irma see Larry Meiers.

## Vermilion Elks Newspaper Bingo

Prize— Boat, Motor, Trailer, and Camping Outfit or One Thousand Dollars Cash.

Numbers drawn to date:

B — 1 3 5 6 7 8 9 12 13 14  
1 — 16 17 19 21 22 24 25 26  
30  
N — 33 34 36 38 41 43 44 39  
42  
G — 46 48 49 50 51 52 54 58  
59  
O — 61 62 63 64 65 66 67 70  
71 72 73 74

Bingo cards are available for \$1.00 each from all places our posters are displayed or from any member of the Vermilion Elks Lodge; Viking News office.

The main prize is a 1957 Chevrolet sedan, and seven other attractive prizes.

Numbers drawn on Saturday, August 17 were G54; N40; G51.

B — 9 11 14 4  
1 — 17 27 19  
N — 40 41 44 34 32 37  
G — 57 53 58 50 54 51  
O — 74 65 71

Tickets may be obtained at the Viking News office and Dominion Cafe.

A NEWS WANT AD PAYS

The Thrill That Comes Once in a Lifetime

A WINTER CLASSIC



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## THE STARS IN SUMMER



Taking time out from their busy lives, actress Peggy Robinson and Peggy Lester give sportscaster Steve Douglas a hand as

he does a putt-by-putt description of one of the many golf tournaments that take place this summer.

## Tofield Community League Newspaper Car Bingo

The Tofield Community League have sponsored a Newspaper Car Bingo for community projects. The main prize is a 1957 Chevrolet sedan, and seven other attractive prizes.

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THE MAN-MONKEY  
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### The Thrill That Comes Once in a Lifetime

A WINTER CLASS?



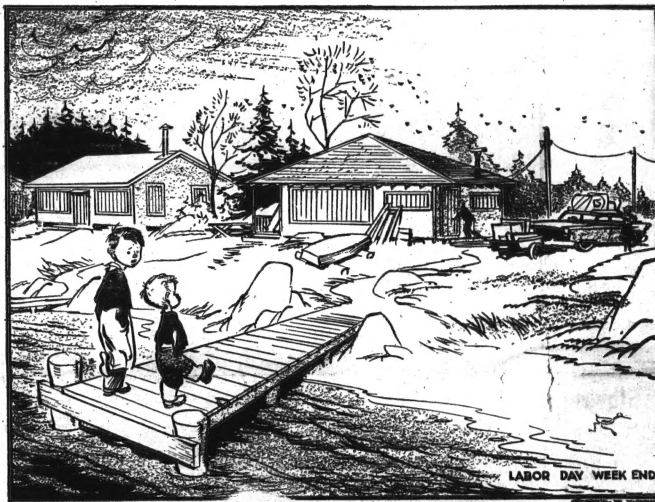
THE DUFFER'S DRIVE IS ON THE FAIRWAY FOR THE FIRST TIME IN 100 YEARS

In the first four months of 1957 Canadian labor income totaled \$4,824,000, an increase of 10 per cent over the same period of 1956.

In the most recent year of record, of the 3,410,160 Canadians who paid personal income tax, only two per cent were in the \$10,000 a year and over bracket.

Of the 3,974,000 occupied dwellings in Canada at September, 1956, 2,685,000 were owner-occupied.

## WANTS ADS DO BIG WORK



"WELL, BACK TO THE GALLEYS!"

## Bruce Congregation Of Jehovah's Witnesses

Ten American missionaries were deported to Puerto Rico from the Dominican Republic August 3. Mr. Kelm, presiding minister of the Bruce congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, announced yesterday. Fare was paid by the Dominican government and the missionaries were escorted under arrest to the plane.

Action came on the heels of a "wave of persecution" equalled only in Communist countries" climaxed by a total ban prescribing the work of Bible education conducted by the Witnesses in the Dominican Republic since 1945.

An ultimatum to the Christian missionaries to renounce all association with the organization and cease communication with their Brooklyn, N.Y. office or leave the country was made last month by Major General Arturo Espallat, Minister of Security, whom the U.S. government has sought to question in the disappearance of Dr. Jesus de Gelindez. Some of the missionaries have been in the country for 11 years.

According to official news sources of the Dominican Republic, proscription of the Christian activity of Jehovah's Witnesses was legalized by President Hector Trujillo on July 25 and the law carries penalties of from one to three months imprisonment and gas employed from thirty to one hundred dollars. It was announced that over \$1 million had been appropriated by the Dominican government to enforce the ban.

Mr. Kelm said a full-scale campaign to restrict the religious freedom of the Witnesses has been underway since July 1. Kingdom Hall meeting places had been ordered closed and about 250 of Jehovah's Witnesses were brought in for questioning. The Witnesses have been subjected to beatings and violence by police and prison guards in an effort to make them renounce all association with the movement, Mr. Kelm stated. About fifty are now in prison, some with sentences of two years.

### MY TOWN

"My town is the place where my home is founded; where my business is situated; where my vote is cast; where my children are educated; where my life is chiefly lived. It is the home spot for me. My town has a right to my civic loyalty. It supports me and I must support it. My town wants my citizenship, not parsimony; friendliness, not offensiveness; co-operation, not dissension; sympathy not criticism; my intelligent support, not indifference. My town supplies me with law and order, trade, friends, education, churches, recreation, and the rights of free born Canadian. I should believe in my town and work for it."—Ex.

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## News Report from Edmonton

By Ken Mason

EDMONTON—It became clear last week that there won't be enough vaccine to stop an epidemic of Asiatic influenza from sweeping across Canada and the U.S. in the fall or winter.

Provincial Health Minister Dr. W. W. Cross announced that Alberta has been allotted 120,000 doses of serum being produced by laboratories in Toronto and Montreal, and the first 30,000 shots will be available by the end of September.

Federal officials have drawn up a priority list, which Alberta has adopted, to make the limited supply of anti-flu vaccine do the most good.

First priority will go to persons in health service, hospital and ambulance workers, utility service employees, air and ground crews, persons in the food and drug trades, druggists and workers in communications, such as telephone, telegraph and radio.

If more vaccine becomes available, it will go to a second priority group which includes clerical, transportation workers, fuel and gas employees, police officers, hotel and restaurant staffs, and educational staffs.

The main idea is to keep essential services rolling in case the bulk of the population becomes stricken with the disease, which is raging across most of the world. It hasn't been identified in Canada yet, but doctors believe it will hit this continent.

The vaccine is being distributed to the provinces on the basis of population, and the cost of producing it is being shared by federal and provincial governments. An estimated 200 persons will qualify under the priority list, and medical men say one shot should provide immunity for six months. By that time, they hope, the danger will have passed.

Dr. Cross also had good news for thousands of Albertans. He announced that enough Salk poliomyelitis vaccine has been made available to provide free inoculations for all persons under 40 years of age. Local health units should have further information. Until now, the polio shots have been restricted to lower age groups and to expectant mothers.

The first test of political sentiment in Alberta since the June 10 federal election is slated for October 2. On that date citizens of Calgary will elect a member of the Legislature to replace Progressive Conservative Art Smith.

Mr. Smith resigned his legislative seat this year to run in the federal election under the Tory banner, and is now a member of Parliament.

Your agent's guess is that the Tories will take the Calgary provincial seat again if their candidate is a strong one. For one thing, it was a Conservative seat when Mr. Smith held it, and for another the country appears to be leaning toward Conservatism these days. Of course the other parties, particularly Social Credit, will hope this corner is wrong.

Conservatives now have two members in the provincial house. They are W. J. C. Kirby of Red Deer and J. Percy Page of Edmonton. They hope to be re-elected by a third when the next session opens about the middle of February.

The Alberta Research Council and the university have come up with a chemical which prevents those bothersome frost boils in highways. The only trouble is, it's too expensive for general use.

The chemical costs only one cent a pound, but it takes 30 pounds to treat one cubic yard of subgrade soil, and the cost of treating a one-yard strip across a 30-foot highway would be \$30. Multiply that by the number of yards of highway in the province, and you get some idea of the cost.

In spite of this, it may be used in small sections of road where frost heaving is particularly bad. Chemicals developed to prevent frost damage have been under test at the university for about 10 years.

Fewer tourists are coming into Alberta from the U.S. this season, but the tourist industry is still enjoying a bonanza year. The provincial bureau of statistics notes a 16-per cent drop in the number of U.S. visitors for the first six months of the year. But in the same period the number of visitors to national parks within the province is up 24 per cent.

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## Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Barber have returned from a holiday trip to Portland, Oregon, visiting with Mrs. Barber's two brothers and families there.

The next meeting of the Irma W.I. will be held at the home of Mrs. Fahner on Thursday, September 5 at 2:30 p.m. Hostesses, Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Glasgow. Raffle, Mrs. Matwischuk. Program, Mrs. W. Parsons. Roll Call, Tell About Your Holiday.

Attention all teachers and pupils of the Irma United Church Sunday School. On Sunday, September 1, Sunday School will be held as usual at 10:30 a.m. New scholars are always welcome.

Mrs. C. V. Larson has returned to her home here after spending the summer months with her sisters at Holt, Michigan.

Mrs. Loretta Dutcher of Detroit is visiting here with her old friends Mr. J. and Miss A. Donoghue.

Mrs. Renwick has just enjoyed a visit from her daughter Gladys—Mrs. Geo. Hope of Mission City, B.C. Mrs. Hope and Mrs. Renwick spent a week together in Irma and another week in Edmonton before the former returned to her home in B.C.

On Friday last Mrs. K. Coffin received word that her mother Mrs. S. Magrath had passed away in Edmonton. Funeral services were held from the Irma United church on Monday afternoon. Full obituary next week.

Mr. Sydney Magrath of Calgary, Mrs. G. M. Holt and Charles of Edmonton attended the funeral of Mrs. Magrath.

Mr. and Mrs. Doulton Herbert and family of Drayton Valley visited with relatives at Irma last week-end.

Miss Lois Patterson has just returned from visiting a girl friend at Saskatoon.

A near gusher of water well was struck at Arlie Patterson's on Friday last. Mr. Marvin Prosser and his father were drilling there. Water was found at 175 feet. This quickly rose until there was a depth of 140 feet. The Pattersons consider this job "done."

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Tomlinson last week-end were Mrs. A. Brucke of Edmonton and Mrs. H. Hillerud of Ryley. Mrs. Brucke and Mrs. Hillerud are sisters of Mrs. Tomlinson.

Born to Col. and Mrs. R. E. Moyer (the former Vera Simmermon) of Comox, B.C., a son, Mr. and Mrs. F. Jack and family, Miss Maurice Denespey and Mr. Keith Currie moved to Alberta Beach last week-end where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jack and family.

Our August weather has surely been the dampest in the history of the province. At a time of writing it shows promise of clearing up. So far no frost but we write that with fingers and pen nib crossed!

Rev. and Mrs. L. D. Shear-down and daughters are visiting with relatives at Vancouver.

Mrs. Mildred Smith has been visiting here at the home of her sister Mrs. J. W. Matthews. Mrs. Matthews has now accompanied her sister back to her home in Calgary.

Rev. and Mrs. Hart, former Irma C.M.A. pastor and wife have been visiting here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mason.

Mrs. M. Tripp, Mrs. S. M. Brown and Mrs. R. L. Rohrer are all hospitalized at Viking this week. We wish them a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Joy Orzechski and family are visiting here at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Wyand.

### OPTOMETRIST

D. A. Mathieson, R.O., 205 Birks Building, Edmonton, will be in Irma at the hotel Monday, September 9 at 2:30 p.m. For appointment see Mrs. Lang at the drug store.

### Card of Thanks

I would like to express my appreciation to all who visited me or sent cards during my recent stay in Hardisty hospital. A special thank you to Pastor Magee for his several kind visits, also to the sisters and hospital staff. Thank you, Sharon WMF for the beautiful flowers received since I came home. Mrs. A. James.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to thank all our friends and neighbors for kindness and sympathy extended during our recent bereavement for the beautiful floral tributes received. We especially wish to thank the Evening W.A. choir, the pallbearers and Rev. Inglis. Gertrude Holt, Sidney Magrath and Dorcas Coffin.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dan Garvie of Walla Walla, Wash., are visiting old acquaintances in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hollar and Mr. and Mrs. C. Hollar were in Stettler to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Davies and Mr. and Mrs. A. Faulkner have been away north blueberry picking.

Mr. Frank Brown was in the district over the week-end visiting Wm. Macfarlane and sporting a new car.

Ronald Jackson and Aloyse Hallick arrived from Dawson Creek, B.C., at the Becketts for supper Wednesday evening. The former is a cousin to Mrs. Beckett and will spend a few days visiting before going on to Bible college in Regina while the latter travelled on to Yorkton for harvesting.

Reggie Vandervaele and Tommy Winfield were successful in passing their grade nine exams.

Talk is going around that the \$20 oil bonus to be paid soon could well be used for buying clothing and supplies for the youngsters going back to school. A good idea!

Gail Jackson of Minburn and Dorothy Whitten of Viking are holidaying at the Glenn, Hollar home.

The W.A. held a second Strawberry Tea of the year in Viking on August 24.

### DONATIONS

To the United Church in memory of Alan Wyatman as Carl and Mrs. W. Parsons and family; Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Brown; Mr. and Mrs. F. Jack; Mrs. Knowles.

To the Crippled Children's Fund from Mr. and Mrs. McDuff.

To the Cancer Fund from Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Askin.

To the Protestant Home for Children from Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Fenton; Mr. and Mrs. C. Smallwood; Mr. and Mrs. H. Long.

To the Bethany Homes, Westsaskatoon from Mr. and Mrs. Mike Orzechski.

### Notice To Creditors And Claimants

In the Estate of CARL IVAR LARSON (also known as Carl Ivor Larson and Carl Ivor Larson), late of the Village of Irma in the Province of Alberta, Rested.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named Carl Ivor Larson who died on the 28th day of February A.D. 1957, are required to file with ALMA KATRINA LARSON, Irma, Alberta, Administratrix of the said estate by the 30th day of September A.D. 1957, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Administratrix will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to her knowledge.

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### Viking Newspaper Car-Bingo Notes

There is only one prize left to go in the newspaper bingo, and that is the car.

There are several cards locally and elsewhere where only two numbers are needed for a blackout. If anyone has less numbers to go, we haven't been notified to date.

The cards are now being collected from outside points and brought to local sellers in Viking.

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